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OPTIMIZING SWITCHING ELEMENT FOR MINIMAL LATENCY	:		

PETITION FOR 3-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

The Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time to reply to the final Office Action dated October 4, 2007 in the above-referenced application. This Petition is being submitted with a Request for Continued Examination and for consideration of the Amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 filed on January 4, 2008. A three-month extension fee of \$1,050 is submitted herewith in addition to the requisite fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter attached papers and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 50-4299.

Respectfully submitted,

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